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Lacoste Laconics.

Miss Mary Salzmann left for San Antonio Friday on an extended visit to relatives and friends.

Messrs. Otto and Dave Bippert and A. Lockenbach autoed to San Antonio Thursday. They returned in the evening. Mr. Dave Bippert having purchased a Buick Car.

Miss Meda Bippert, the belle girl, was an Alamo City visitor a few days this week.

Wm. Brown of D'Hanis was here Friday, the guest of Geo. Schuehle.

The Misses and Masters Waldispergers returned to their home at San Antonio after a lengthy stay here with relatives.

Mr. Joe Pyka made a business trip to San Antonio Friday.

Messrs. Louis and I. N. Johnson and miles of Lytle were sightseeing one day of the week.

Frank Keller and family and Miss Coe autoed to Castroville on a pleasure bound.

Mrs. Mat Jungmann of Potranca is on a visit to her daughter, Mrs. Louis Gross.

Mesdames T. E. S. Tripp and M. Hanger of Macdonia paid a visit to Mrs. M. A. Kaufmann Saturday last.

Louis Keller and family of Devine went Saturday and Sunday with their father, Mrs. Ferdie Koch.

Mr. Louis Gross transported a load of furniture to the Dam Site Saturday morning Sunday.

Adolph Reymann autoed to Devine today on pleasure.

L. Haass and family returned to home after being at the bedside of Mrs. M. A. Kaufmann. We are glad to say that Mrs. Kaufmann is recovering from her recent illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Metzger and the babe and Miss Margerete Krause of San Antonio spent the day Sunday with relatives.

Mr. Hy. Vonlie and wife and Joe Messer and August Holzhaus of Castroville were the guests of relatives and friends here Monday afternoon.

Mr. Geo. Echtle and Miss Mary Homan were united in the holy bonds of matrimony in the St. Louis Catholic church at Castroville on Tuesday morning. Rev. A. Heckman performing the ceremony. The attendants were Richard Zinsmeyer and Miss Emma Witman. After the ceremony a bridal party and invited guests gathered to the home of the bride's parents where the event was pleasantly celebrated. On Thursday night a serenade was tendered them at their home by their Lacoste friends.

The necessary instruments were being the crowd. Mr. Echtle then stated the crowd with a keg of "Serrano" which was very much enjoyed. The writer joins in wishing the happy couple a long happy and prosperous married life.

Miss Irma Loessberg was a visitor to the Alamo City Saturday.

The dance given here Saturday night at the W. O. W. Hall was well attended from the surrounding towns. The order prevailed throughout the night. The merry crowd tipped light fantastic to the sweet strains of "Home Sweet Home" which sent and all to their respective homes pleased with their night's enjoyment. The music was furnished by the famous Groff Band.

Misses Meda Boehme, Regina Mand, Della Kaufmann, Mayme Reichert, Gert Russel, Messrs. Geo. Bassenbacher, Albert Salzmann, Alex. Hatzfelder, Oscar Mangold and Geo. Schuehle all spent a pleasant day Sunday at the Dam Site. The main feature to pass the day were eating, drinking and taking in the beautiful scenery. The only displeasure of the day was the fighting of the north wind which was raging at the rate of 60 miles an hour. All wish to have the opportunity to make another "Dam Site" before long. The merry crowd returned in the evening via the Diversion Dam and Ciphons.

Messrs. Louis Franger, Amos Kelly, and Fritz of D'Hanis attended the dance here Saturday night.

Mrs. Mary Reymann and son, Emil, and Macdonia were pleasant callers here Sunday.

Mrs. Chas. Moeller Jr. left for San Antonio Monday evening on a visit to relatives and friends.

Miss Mary Steinle of Castroville arrived No. 8 Monday morning for a visit to be the guest of her sister, Mrs. August Bilhartz for a few weeks.

Mr. C. Heilig visited homefolks in San Antonio Sunday.

Mr. Geo. Tschirhart, the Saloonist, attended the funeral of his aunt, the Mrs. August Tschirhart Sr. at Castroville Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Hilliard and

RETURNED FROM POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y.



Milton Schmitt

In the Uniform of St. Louis College

son, Mesdames Otto Jungmann and C. McGarr, and Miss Regina Mangold autoed to San Antonio Tuesday on business.

Oscar Hitzfelder made a business trip to San Antonio Tuesday.

Messrs. Paul Christilles and Hy. Kaufmann and family were Alamo City visitors the first part of the week.

Dr. L. A. Koontz and family autoed to San Antonio the middle of the week on business and pleasure.

Mesdames Lina Reicherzer and John Jungmann were Alamo City visitors today.

Lacoste, Oct. 29, 1913.

The Annual Conference.

The annual conference of the Methodist church, which convened in San Antonio last week, closed Sunday evening.

The following are the appointments in the Uvalde district:

Presiding elder, S. B. Beall; Batesville, C. M. Rab; Carrizo Springs and Big Wells, W. N. Vernon; Cotulla station and Asherton, J. W. Long; Crystal City station, W. L. Hightower; Del Rio station, J. W. Albritton; Devine and Lytle, C. E. Wheat; Dilley and Millett, J. E. Morgan; Eagle Pass and Spofford, J. W. Black; Hondo station, M. K. Fred; Laredo station, W. A. Dunn; Moore circuit, W. G. Callihan; Pearsall station, E. E. Swanson; Sabinal station, W. L. Barr; Uvalde station, A. L. Scarborough; Uvalde station, J. H. Stuckey; Tehuacana and Priotown, J. A. Pledger; Rock Springs circuit, W. J. Brient.

The Hondo church made a report that averaged up well with the reports from other places. About seven thousand dollars were collected for all purposes during the conference year.

The Anvil Herald is glad to note that Rev. Fred was returned to the work at this place.

The P. E. O. Musical.

On Saturday night, November 8th, a musical of more than ordinary worth, by these clever young musicians, Misses Dorothy Harris and Katie Saathoff, ably assisted by Miss Ruby Locklin, voice, and Miss Hallie Walker, reading, will be given at the Auditorium under the auspices of the P. E. O. Society.

Each one of these young ladies is an artist in her line and one of the nicest entertainments of the season is predicted for that evening.

Miss Harris' chorus class will also enhance the evening's program with a few pretty selections as only the little tots can render them.

Altogether, a varied and delightful program has been formulated with the intention of pleasing everybody.

For this laudable purpose and the small prices of 15c and 25c, the Auditorium should be packed to its full capacity Saturday night, Nov. 8th.

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J. H. MEYERS.

A car load of furniture just arrived. J. M. Malone & Co.

New Fountain Notes.

A cold norther blew up last Sunday morning which brought fire places and winter wraps into use again. A heavy frost took place Monday morning, killing forage and garden vegetation.

Willie Mumme and family were here from San Antonio last Sunday visiting relatives.

Mrs. Katie Leinweber and daughter, Miss Helena, were here Saturday and Sunday visiting relatives and friends.

Alfred Schlientz and Miss Barbara Leinweber of the upper Hondo visited Mr. Schlientz's home-folks at Vandenberg Sunday.

John E. Muennink and wife came up from Yancey last Thursday.

Louis Schweers marketed a load of fat hogs in Hondo one day last week, as did also Willie Schmidt.

Willie Nietenhoefer came near losing one of his eyes about two weeks ago. While cutting down a tree a chunk of wood hit him in the eye and took some of the skin from the eye ball, causing the same to bleed.

Robert Mumme of Vandenberg and Miss Nellie Brucks of Verdina were happily married in the New Fountain Methodist church Thursday afternoon.

Rev. J. F. Koch performed the ceremony. Henry Bless and Miss Mollie Mumme were attendants. The young couple are very popular and treated their friends to a free wedding dance in Saathoff's hall that night. The writer joins their many friends in wishing them bon voyage through life.

Henry Bless returned to his home at Brackettville Sunday, after a week's stay with relatives and friends in this vicinity.

Henry Herzing, who had been visiting relatives here, left yesterday for San Antonio.

Louis Schlaudt and son are here from Fredericksburg visiting relatives, the Bohlers.

Louis Heyen Jr. was tendered a pleasant surprise party at his home last Saturday night. A big crowd was present that found amusement in various ways.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Neumann were Hondo visitors yesterday.

Rev. Hoefler, the Lutheran pastor, conducted mission services here last Sunday, but owing to the unpleasant weather the attendance was not very large.

A stiff norther blew up last night and fire places again feel comfortable this morning.

Old man Lawless, for a number of years a resident of this place, passed through here yesterday en route to Devine from San Angelo.

New Fountain, Oct. 29, 1913.

Riomedina Roundups.

A light shower of rain fell here Sunday morning accompanied by a strong norther which continued to blow until night. A light frost was seen Monday morning, the first this season.

Mr. John Brooks, who has been stationed at the Diversion Dam, has moved his headquarters to Castroville.

Lee Burnside and little son, of Diversion dam were here Saturday.

Mr. Nic. Hornsby of Wheeler, after spending several days in our midst, returned to San Antonio Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Balzen of Quibi were guests of Emil Kauffmann and family Sunday.

Willie Oppelt made a business trip to San Antonio a few days ago.

Miss Letcher of Pipe Creek is the guest of Mrs. Herman Bippert.

The friends of Miss Amelia Haby tendered her a surprise party at her home Sunday night, the occasion being the young ladies birthday. Those who attended report a most pleasant time.

Mrs. F. Kilhorn and daughter, Miss Annie, of Castroville spent Monday with Grandpa Haby and family.

Mesdames Rose Biediger, Nic. Tschirhart and Gus. Keller paid a short visit here this week.

Mr. Otto Huegele and family, Miss Katie Wurzbach and Miss Caperton spent Sunday with relatives and friends at Hondo.

Mr. and Mrs. Leopold Haby and son, Robert, were shopping in our midst Monday.

Arnold Wurzbach was a San Antonio visitor last week.

Back in Studio.

W. E. Clark solicits your picture work. Bring your kodak work, framing and enlarging all to his shop. You can't lose money, but will make and save money by trading with him. Convex frames and glass will be in stock shortly. 14x20 convex oval frames and glass have been ordered and will be in about Nov. 1st.

RETURNED TO THE HONDO CHARGE



REV. M. K. FRED
Pastor of the Local Methodist Church

District Court Proceedings.

The regular fall term of the District Court was begun here Monday, October 27th. Present were the following officers: Hon. R. H. Burney, District Judge; L. J. Brucks, District Attorney; August Kempf, District Clerk; J. P. Bader, Sheriff; and R. S. Taylor, Court Stenographer.

The grand jury was empaneled as follows: A. N. Rothe, W. M. Williamson, Frank A. Bohl, A. E. Nester, Thomas Henson, P. C. Jagge, L. J. Finger, Henry Crutchfield, Otto Wurzbach, John Poerner, Wm. Santleben and Robert Gossett. Thomas Hensen was appointed foreman.

Adolph Haass, Henry Moore, Emil Boehle, J. E. Bader, J. A. Crawford and J. H. Henderson were appointed bailiffs.

The criminal docket was set for Monday, November 3rd.

M. A. Keller vs. August Vollmering, suit on debt, was transferred to the 73rd district court at San Antonio.

On Tuesday the Petit Jury for the first week of the term was empaneled as follows: J. M. Evans, Wm. Burger, Ed. Ehlinger, R. M. Bowman, F. W. Folk, Ed. Seekatz, August Schroeder, Adolph Tschirhart, J. J. Ney, Emil Biry, Otto A. Haby, D. H. Griffith, Ed. Hans, Adolph Wurzbach, Sebastian Marty, Alfred Bippert and Oscar Hitzfelder.

J. M. Dubose, Joe Short, August Weber, John L. Mangold, Tally Miller, Gus. Brieden and Joe Weynand were excused.

E. G. Garza vs. Capriana Garza, suit for divorce; divorce was granted.

Louise Hartung Breiten vs. John F. Breiten, suit for divorce; divorce was granted and plaintiff was granted custody of two children.

J. A. Hay vs. Owens Hay, suit for divorce; divorce granted.

County of Brazoria vs. Louis Rothe, et al.; L. F. Price vs. Devine Realty Co.; and Frank Huegele vs. G. H. & S. A. Ry. Co.; were continued to await the action of the Court of Civil Appeals.

Thomas F. Hart, et al.; vs. A. F. Ritter et al., trespass to try title; continued by agreement.

Lytle Chapter No. 329 Royal Arch Masons vs. Faustina Lara, et al.; dismissed.

Jacob Reinhart et ux. vs. F. W. McGuire, et al.; Jacob Reinhart vs. Sylvanus Snow et al.; J. R. Evans vs. J. R. Kirk, et al.; John Reinhart, et ux. vs. Samuel Koenigheim et al.; Louis Rothe, et al. vs. J. N. Berryman, et al. The above causes were continued to perfect service.

Annie Campbell, et al. vs. Ed. Lammon, et al. suit for partition; continued to make new parties defendant.

The grand jury reported six indictments Wednesday as follows:

State vs. J. F. Breiten, assault with intent to murder.

State vs. Jose Garza, assault with intent to murder.

State vs. Andres Borego, assault with intent to murder.

State vs. Andres Ramero, murder.

State vs. Francisco Espinoza, murder.

State vs. ——— rape.

Adolph C. Ihnken vs. Annie L. Heyen Ihnken, suit for divorce; divorce granted, and further ordered that defendant have her maiden name restored.

The petit jury was discharged early in the week but the grand jury is still in session as we go to press.

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A fine dinner was served at the residence of the bride's sister, Mrs. F. Kilhorn Jr., in South Hondo, at which quite a large number of relatives and friends participated.

The happy couple left on the evening train for San Antonio and other points.

The Bride is the charming daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Renken of Noonan, and the Groom is a son of Mrs. De Grodt, now Mrs. T. Forst, of Hondo. They will reside in their pretty home recently erected in the Fly Addition of Hondo, Texas.

The Anvil Herald joins in congratulations and best wishes.

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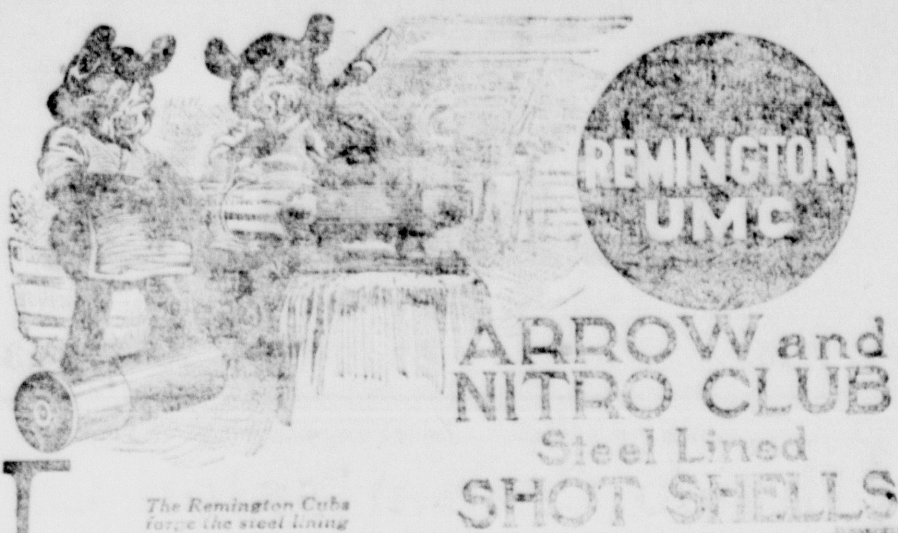
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When Underwood Won.

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Bricknell, famous for his hammer and tongs method of abusing and ridiculing young attorneys, put the youthful Un-



"I THINK THIS DECISION IS SOUND," HE SAID.

derwood on the grill and roasted him to a rich dark brown. Underwood took all the abuse, sarcasm and irony without a murmur, and at last his time came. Addressing the court, he called attention to a decision of the supreme court which he proceeded to read.

"I think this decision is sound," he said, "and I ask a verdict for my client on the strength of it. It was handed down by that distinguished expounder of the law, Judge Bricknell, when he was chief justice."

Underwood won—New York Tribune.

TRAINING A MODERN DEMOSTHENES.

A Statesman's Early Schooling in the Art of Oratory.

There is an almost unknown circumstance in the life history of Speaker Champ Clark that deserves to rank with the ever green story of Demosthenes, who cultivated clear speech with a mouthful of pebbles. Speaker Clark bears the reputation of having the clearest enunciation in the house of representatives and of being the most easily understood speaker in that body.

"When I was a boy in Kentucky," said the speaker in explanation of his clear diction, "my father determined to train me to talk without mumbling or mumbling my words, so he cut a little piece of wood, just long enough to stand endwise between my teeth when my jaws were well opened. Then, with that impediment to the movement of my lips, I was required to practice articulation. The treatment was heroic, but it taught me plain speaking."—Washington Star.

A Story and a Moral. Max Kauffman, secretary to Health Commissioner Starkloff, tells a story with a moral.

The story: "A man drove a stake wagon through the archway into the inner court at the city hall. It was heavily loaded. The top of the wagon bed barely cleared. The wagon was unloaded and the man tried to drive out. The wagon bed would not clear. The rebound of the springs made it too high. He was a prisoner and had to take the wagon bed off before he could drive out."

And the moral: "A man with a load on can get by, but he can't come back."—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

Not Yet Answered. Mayor Gaynor, discussing at a Brooklyn dinner party the efficacy of prayer, smiled and said:

"There are some people who are too impatient and cynical over the matter of prayer. They are like little Tommy."

"Pa," said little Tommy, "you know Jim and Horace? Well, pa, Jim and Horace say their prayers every night and ask God to make 'em good boys."

"How very nice," said the father. "How very nice."

"But he ain't done it yet, pa," the urchin added.—Los Angeles Times.

Did He Mean It? Senator Thomas P. Gore, the blind senator from Oklahoma, was presented to a big banquet in Washington one night as the toastmaster of the occasion. After a few opening remarks Senator Gore said blandly:

"Now, friends, I do not intend to bore you with a speech, but I will introduce a man who will."

Whereupon he introduced Representative Henry D. Clayton of Alabama, but the banqueters treated him kindly.

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PHONE No. The Anvil

A MESSAGE TO WOMEN

Who Are "Just Ready to Drop."

When you are "just ready to drop," when you feel so weak that you can hardly drag yourself about—and because you have not slept well, you get up as tired-out next morning as when you went to bed, you need help. Miss Lea Dumas writes from Madison, N. Y., saying: "I was in a bad, run-down condition for several weeks but two bottles of Vinol put me on my feet again and made me strong and well. Vinol has done me more good than all the other medicines I ever took."

If the careworn, run-down women, the pale, sickly children and feeble old folks around here would follow Miss Dumas' example, they, too, would soon be able to say that Vinol, our delicious cod liver and iron remedy, had built them up and made them strong.

It is a wonderful, strength creator and body-builder, and we sell it under a guarantee of satisfaction. You get your money back if Vinol does not help you.

W. H. Windrow, Druggist, Hondo.

Nervous and Sick Headaches.

Torpid liver, constipated bowels and disordered stomach are the causes of these headaches. Take Dr. King's New Life Pills, you will be surprised how quickly you will get relief. They stimulate the different organs to do their work properly. No better regulator for liver and bowels. Take 25c. and invest in a box today. At all druggists or by mail, H. E. Bucklen & Co., Philadelphia and St. Louis.

The man who is looking for trouble can always find it at home.

Sluggish Liver

All your liver, stomach and bowel troubles will speedily vanish when you start to take Hot Springs Liver Buttons. Hot Springs Liver Buttons from the famous Hot Springs of Ark. They never fail to banish dizziness, headache and malaria. Better than Calomel. 25c.

Free sample Liver Buttons and booklet about the famous Hot Springs. Rheumatism remedy and Hot Springs Blood Remedy at

W. H. WINDROW, DRUGS
Hondo, Texas.

D'HANIS DOINGS.

Items of Interest Culled or Condensed from The D'Hanis News.

Miss Maggie Langfeld left Saturday for San Antonio on a week's visit to relatives.

A. C. Roth was a business visitor to San Antonio during the week. Hubert Franger won the first prize for being the best dancer at Biry last Monday.

A big crowd from here attended the dance at Biry Monday. Born, to Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Grimsinger, Oct. 23rd, a girl.

Rev. J. J. Myers of Hondo was here Friday on a visit to Rev. F. Mass.

Messrs. S. A. Jungman, R. J. Noonan, T. J. Sauter, L. E. Heath and Fritz Wohlschlaegel of Hondo were here Friday.

Amos Kelly went to Hondo Friday of last week.

Dr. J. A. Jones came in Friday before last from San Antonio.

Miss Kate Snathoff returned from Sabinal Saturday.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. V. F. Miller, Oct. 20th, a girl.

Joe Rudinger returned home from San Antonio Monday morning.

Messrs. Will Nagel and V. F. Miller were in San Antonio Sunday.

Messrs. Amos Kelly Joe Langfeld, Louis and Hubert Franger attended the dance at Biry last Monday.

Nearly Every Child Has Worms.

Painless, at times a flushed face, unnatural hunger, picking the nose, great thirst, etc., are indications of worms. Kickapoo Worm Killer is a reliable, thorough medicine for the removal of all kinds of worms from children and adults. Kickapoo Worm Killer in pleasant candy form, aids digestion, tones system, over-coming constipation and increasing the action of the liver. Is perfectly safe for even the most delicate children. Kickapoo Worm Killer makes children happy and healthy. 25c. Guaranteed. Try it. Drug stores or by mail. Kickapoo Indian Medicine Co., Philadelphia and St. Louis.

Cetting a husband is an art, but keeping him is a science.

Cause of Insomnia.

The most common cause of insomnia is disorders of the stomach and constipation. Chamberlain's Tablets correct these disorders and enable you to sleep. For sale by All Dealers.

SMOTHERING SPELLS

Sour Stomach, Heart Burn

In October, 1910, we received a letter from Mrs. Hall, from which we make the following extracts:



MRS. JAMES A. HALL,
Box 36, Morris City,
Illinois.

"About twelve years ago my health began to fail. I couldn't eat anything without suffering for it. I had heart burn, sour stomach, palpitation of the heart, smothering spells, pains in my sides and back. In fact, I suffered all over, and a cough almost like consumption. Doctors failed to relieve me; in fact, they didn't seem to know what ailed me. I continued to grow worse until I was able to sit up only a part of the time. I had almost lost all hopes of ever being any better."

"But one day some one threw some books in at my door. I read them and found them to be Peruna books. They described my feeling so truly I sent at once and got a bottle and began taking it. You pronounced my ailment systemic catarrh, and gave me some advice."

"When I had taken two and one-half bottles I began to eat without suffering. I continued to improve."

"When I had taken eight I was like a new person. That was nine years ago."

"I think Peruna the greatest family remedy there is, for so many ailments are due to catarrhal trouble. I would advise any one afflicted with catarrh to take Peruna and I am sure it will leave."

In the Revised "Tills of Life" we have many similar testimonials which should interest sick people everywhere. Sent free by the Peruna Co., Columbus, Ohio.

People who object to liquid medicines can now obtain Peruna Tablets.

Declare War On Colds.

A crusade of education which aims "that common colds may become uncommon within the next generation" has been begun by prominent New York physicians. Here is a list of the "don'ts" which the doctors say will prevent the annual visitation of the cold:

"Don't sit in a draughty car."
"Don't sleep in hot rooms."
"Don't avoid the fresh air."
"Don't stuff yourself at meal time."

Overeating reduces your resistance. To which we would add—when you take a cold get rid of it as quickly as possible. To accomplish that you will find Chamberlain's Cough Remedy most excellent. Sold by All Dealers.

Noonan Notes.

Mrs. George Farris and daughters, visited Mr. and Mrs. John Green Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Kempf made a flying trip to Lytle Saturday.

Harvey Green visited Archie Farris Tuesday.

Mrs. Bippert and son, Arthur, were Chicon Dam visitors Sunday.

John Kempf was shot while at Noonan. He is in a serious condition.

Mr. Frank Lowe of Noonan was a visitor to Devine Thursday.

Mrs. Jim Heath and cousins, Misses Martha and Rosa Koehler, Archie Farris and Woodson Green all attended the dance at Biry Monday night.

Louis Heath has returned from Hondo after a few days stay with relatives and friends.

Mrs. Mattie Skinner, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Cocke and children visited Mr. and Mrs. George Farris and children Sunday.

Jim Heath was a Devine visitor Saturday.

Oscar Koenig was seen on our streets Sunday.

Henry Mangold of Noonan visited Henry Kempf Monday.

Mack Luckie visited his friends at Lytle Tuesday.

Alfred Koenig visited friends and kinfolks at Castroville Saturday and Sunday.

Henry Kempf and Mack Luckie were visitors at Devine Sunday.

Ed. Pierce made a flying trip to Noonan this week.

Oct. 25, 1913.

A Consumptive Cough.

A cough that bothers you continually is one of the danger signals which warns you of consumption. Dr. King's New Discovery stops the cough, loosens the chest, banishes fever and lets you sleep peacefully. The first dose checks the symptoms and gives prompt relief. Mrs. A. F. Mertz, of Glen Ellyn, Iowa, writes: Dr. King's New Discovery cured a stubborn cough after six weeks' doctoring failed to help. Best medicine for coughs, colds, throat and lung troubles. Money back if it fails. Price 50c. & \$1.00. All druggists, by mail.

H. E. Bucklen & Co. Philadelphia or St. Louis.

It's a shame to spill milk, but not a crying shame.

To Prevent Blood Poisoning

apply at once the wonderful reliable DR. PORTER'S ANTISEPTIC HEALING OIL, a surgical dressing that relieves pain and heals at the same time. Not a liniment. 25c. 50c. \$1.00.

WHENEVER YOU NEED

A GENERAL TONIC - TAKE GROVE'S

The Old Standard Grove's Tasteless chill Tonic is Equally Valuable as a General Tonic because it Acts on the Liver, Drives Out Malaria, Enriches the Blood and Builds up the Whole System. For Grown People and Children.

You know what you are taking when you take Grove's Tasteless chill Tonic as the formula is printed on every label showing that it contains the well known tonic properties of QUININE and IRON. It is as strong as the strongest bitter tonic and is in Tasteless Form. It has no equal for Malaria, Chills and Fever, Weakness, general debility and loss of appetite. Gives life and vigor to Nursing Mothers and Pale, Sickly Children. Removes Bilioussness without purging. Relieves nervous depression and low spirits. Arouses the liver to action and purifies the blood. A True Tonic and Sure Appetizer. A Complete Strengthenener. No family should be without it. Guaranteed by your Druggist. We mean it. 50c.

WHY NOT?

KC is pure. KC is healthful. It really does make lighter, nicer biscuits, cakes and pastry than the old fashioned single acting baking powders.

And you pay only a fair price for it. No baking powder should sell for more.



Children who have worms are pale, cross, fretful, and sickly most of the time. To rid the little body of these parasites WHITE'S CREAM VERMIFUGE is an approved remedy. When the worms have been driven out the child grows strong, healthy and robust. Price 25c per bottle. Sold by W. H. Windrow.

Usually the charity that begins at home is easily discouraged.

In damp, chilly weather there is always a large demand for BALLARD'S SNOW LINIMENT because many people who know by experience its great relieving power in rheumatic aches and pains, prepare to apply it at the first twinge. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by W. H. Windrow.

The best thing about hope is that it's absolutely free.

In severe cases of sore lungs, you need an internal and external remedy. Buy the dollar size BALLARD'S HOREHOUND SYRUP, you get two remedies for the price of one. With every dollar bottle there is a free HERRICK'S RED PEPPER POROUS PLASTER for the chest. Sold by W. H. Windrow.

If remorse leads to reform, then in penitence is peace.

Chilblains, frosted feet or hands, can be cured with one or two applications of BALLARD'S SNOW LINIMENT. It quickly relieves itching or tenderness of the flesh. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by W. H. Windrow.

No friend is worth anything who is not worth much.

Unused virtue atrophies.

AGRICULTURAL LAND FOR SALE!

Improved and Unimproved

In placing my holdings on the market, consisting of lands around Charlotte and Jourdanton, both improved and unimproved, I do so with the knowledge that these lands are most favorably situated and offer every convenience to those seeking homes. Within easy reach of every point are modern gins, well equipped schools, commodious churches, good roads lead everywhere, to nearby railroad stations and the best markets in Texas.

This property has not been offered earlier because these very necessary advantages were not to be had, but now they are a reality—nothing is left to speculation or future contingencies. Settlers now have all the advantages that can be found anywhere in a fully developed community without paying the prices that are asked in the older sections. You can have the benefit, for I am offering you the most desirable opportunity in Texas.

These lands are as good as can be had in South Texas; there are no better anywhere. Plenty of water can be obtained on any tract and shallow wells can be located at small cost furnishing an abundance of good water. The soil is fertile, there are no crop failures on these farms and no irrigation is necessary. No section of the state offers a more healthy or delightful climate, winter or summer.

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FRUCHTBARES LAND
ALLE VORZUGE
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Gerade jetzt ist die Zeit
vorteilhaft zu kaufen.

Homeseekers are urgently requested to investigate the proposition and inspect this year's crops. This is the best opportunity that will ever be offered you. These lands are within your reach. The prices are low, small cash payment and balance to suit purchaser.

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: : VIEWS AND REVIEWS : :

A Prayer.

(By Theodosia Garrison.)

I do not pray for peace,
Nor ask that on my path
The sounds of war shall shrill no more,
The way be clear of wrath.
But this I beg thee, Lord,
Steel thou my will with might,
And in the strife that men call life
Grant me the strength to fight.

I do not pray for arms,
Nor shield to cover me,
Wt though I stand with empty hand,
So be it valiantly!
Spare me the coward's fear—
Questioning wrong or right;
Lord among these mine enemies,
Grant me the strength to fight.

I do not pray that thou
Keep me from any wound,
Though I fall low from thrust and blow
Forced, fighting, to the ground;
But give me wit to hide
My hurt from all men's sight,
And for my need the while I bleed,
Lord, grant me strength to fight.

I do not pray that thou
Shouldst grant me victory;
Enough to know that from my foe
I have no will to flee;
Beaten and bruised and banded,
Flung like a broken sword,
Grant me this thing for conquering—
Let me die fighting, Lord.

THE Texas Cotton Palace Exhibition opens at Waco today. The Anvil Herald acknowledges receipt of a complimentary ticket to the same.

THE Anvil Herald acknowledges receipt of a complimentary ticket to the Ft. Worth Fat Stock Show at Ft. Worth from Nov. 22 to 29th inclusive.

How to Secure a Handsome HAND DECORATED Dinner Set Free!

Trade is never so brisk but any store can handle more of it. Being no exception to this general rule we expect to increase our business by offering for CASH TRADE premiums of the greatest value that have ever been given out.

A housekeeper may acquire a whole set of this chinaware at absolutely no expense by simply buying the goods you need in our line of us at prices always the lowest.

We desire to inform you that we have a contract with the oldest and one of the largest potteries in the United States to furnish us with a quantity of High Grade, Richly Decorated Semi-Porcelain Ware. The arrangement we have made with this pottery enables us to keep the Pattern in open stock and as an advertisement to place a handsome dinner set in every home in this vicinity.

The quality of this ware is first-class in every particular, the utmost care being taken in its manufacture, and it will not break or chip as easily as most ware does, and is guaranteed against crazing. The decorations are burned into the glaze, thus making them permanent.

The distribution of these handsome dinner sets will not effect our prices in any department. All goods you buy from us will represent the most and best that your money can buy elsewhere.

We are giving you an opportunity to secure a complete DINNER SET as an advertisement to increase our business and to show in a substantial way that we appreciate your trade.

We accordingly extend you a special invitation to call at our store and inspect these beautiful dishes. It will be to your advantage to call at once so we can explain to you our plan in detail.

Hondo Mercantile Co.

of sufficient votes it will not mean that our people do not favor good roads and will not be any reflection upon the intelligence or progressiveness of our citizens. On the contrary, it will mean that a majority of our people doubt the wisdom and efficiency of the proposition to secure the object desired—the hastening of good roads all over the county. The Anvil Herald is willing to trust the judgment of the people of the county no matter what their verdict in this particular may be.

Neither Lane nor Mayes will submit his candidacy to a Prohibition eliminating primary. This probably means that there will be three pro. candidates in the race for governor and that the anti should be able to hang on about three dry scalps on the walls of the political tepee. So mote it be!

Things have been happening fast in Mexico during the past week but Huerta still strides the hurricane deck of the ship of state. Huerta has the instincts of the despot sufficient to make him the proper kind of a ruler of that benighted country but he hasn't the backing.

M. H. Gronewald was up from Yancy yesterday.

S. G. Carter can save you from \$5 to \$10 on your suit.

Mr. and Mrs. Felix Batot were D'Hanis visitors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Jungman were Castroville visitors Sunday.

Emanuel Poerner was here yesterday from Devine on business.

Miss Katie Saathoff went to D'Hanis yesterday to visit homefolks.

S. G. Carter wants your tailoring business and will serve you right.

F. S. Garrison and family have moved back to Hondo from Cline.

Get in line and have your cleaning and pressing done by C. R. Hoover.

All kinds of cold drinks served every day at F. A. Heyen's confectionery.

Miss Annie Merriman has as her guest Miss Rose Earnest of Cotulla.

Fritz Stiegler came in yesterday from a business trip to San Antonio.

Do you need a family hack? Call on E. R. Leinweber. He can suit you.

A full line of fall and winter samples is now on display at C. R. Hoover's.

A fine boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Will H. Moore Friday, October 31, 1913.

For good cleaning and steam pressing have your work done at S. G. Carter's, Phone 179.

W. M. Collins, the concrete contractor, was a San Antonio visitor the first of the week.

If you would be correctly and stylishly dressed call on C. R. Hoover and let him fix you up.

If you want value received for your money order that suit or overcoat from S. G. Carter, the Tailor.

Let us save you money on that lumber bill. Get our prices and be convinced. Sunrise Lumber Co.

Mrs. Virgie Benson and baby are here from Sinton visiting Mrs. Benson's father, J. C. Merriman.

Our prices and quality of fall and winter suits will please you. Let me be your tailor. C. R. Hoover.

The Sunrise Lumber Co. wants to figure all of your lumber bills. We can satisfy you in price and quality.

At Sid G. Carter's is the only place you can get sanitary steam pressing. Phone 179 for prompt service.

A. F. Peters and daughter, Miss Della, went to Sabinal Friday to attend a Baptist Fifth Sunday meeting.

Mrs. W. E. Henley returned to her home at Brackett yesterday after a pleasant visit to relatives in this vicinity.

A fine girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Hodge Friday morning, October 31st. Mother and child are doing well.

Hondo and Uvalde high school girls will play a match game of basket ball this morning and the boys a match game of foot ball this afternoon on the local play grounds.

The official statements of the two local banks which appear elsewhere in this paper speak volumes for the solid financial condition of this section. Look them up elsewhere.

P. Jungman Jr. has begun the erection of a two story brick building 40x54 feet on his lots back of the Hondo Mercantile Co. store. The building will be glass front and the lower story finished for a store while the upper story will be divided into eight office rooms. Contractor A. R. Wotilin is doing the work.

PERSONALS

Think of it, a piano given away.

All kinds of souvenir post cards at F. A. Heyen's.

You will be pleased with a suit ordered by S. G. Carter.

A nice line of trunks just received at J. M. Malone & Co's.

F. L. Boehle was a business caller at this office Saturday.

New and used furniture of all sorts at J. M. Malone & Co's.

Leather suit cases, hand bags, etc. at J. M. Malone & Co's.

Get your smoked herring and mackerel at Slater & Kirby's.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fohn were visitors to San Antonio Tuesday.

J. G. Heyen was a business visitor to the Alamo City last week-end.

Alfred Finger was in town Wednesday from D'Hanis on business.

Delicious Drinks served every day at Mrs. Hutzler's Soda Fountain.

Go to E. R. Leinweber with your vehicle wants. He can supply you.

John Kempf was here Wednesday from Lacoate to attend district court.

Fresh candy, cakes, nuts, canned goods, etc. at Heyen's confectionery.

Mrs. Edward J. Brucks entertained the Ladies Club at Rook Tuesday afternoon.

W. H. Hearne, the D'Hanis bee and honey man, was here Wednesday on business.

Give your wife a nice kitchen cabinet and make her happy. J. M. Malone & Co.

Eugene Moñeld visited the Dallas Fair the first of the week, returning Wednesday.

Cotton shipments had reached 7233 bales up to Thursday night for this season.

Now is the time to order that Tailor made rain coat and over coat from S. G. Carter the tailor.

X. Wantz and daughter, Mrs. J. B. Kendleon, were passengers to San Antonio Friday morning.

A cold norther blew up Sunday morning and the first killing frost of the season formed here on Sunday night.

Henry V. Haas and son, H. V. Jr., are spending the week here where Mr. Haas is looking after official business.

The Missionary Society of the Methodist Church will meet at the Presbyterian church next Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Sr. Felipe Estrada and Srita. Helena Ybarra were married at E. W. Lacy's ranch Saturday. Judge Lamm tied the nuptial knot.

Remember the ladies of the Methodist Church will have their annual bazaar on November 20th at the French building.

Call on E. R. Leinweber when you need a serviceable and reliable vehicle. He has a large assortment of the standard makes.

Misses Clara and Edna Wurzbach left Tuesday for their home at Riomedina after spending a week with their friend, Miss Mary Bader.

Leed's Woolen Mills \$15.00 hand-tailored suits are the best on the market for the money. Samples on display at S. G. Carter's, the Tailor.

For Sale or Trade by Owner—A small 4-room house, barn, good well, 1 1/2 acres of land in Hondo. For particulars call or write, S. G. Carter, Hondo.

Extra Votes on Wednesday, Nov. 5th, on any thing in Silverware, Chinaware or Christmas goods, 1000 with each 25c purchase. W. H. Windrow.

S. G. Carter has the best and cheapest line of woolen samples in town to order your suit or overcoat from. For the best suits order from S. G. Carter, the Tailor.

Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Muennink attended the Rihn-Biediger nuptials at Castroville Wednesday and Mrs. Muennink is spending the week there with home-folks.

Try some of our new coffee: Buck Pail 85c; Our 1913 Package 25c, above all other package coffee; Pennant Winner 30c. It will give you satisfaction. Slater & Kirby.

W. E. Clark is away for a few days—called home. Studio will be closed next week. Will return as soon as is convenient. All work at Studio will be ready for delivery Friday.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. Kilhorn Jr., was baptised at the St. Johns Catholic Church last Tuesday, and was given the name of Margurite Elizabeth. The Sponsors were Miss Anna Schott and Mr. Joe Renken.

Commissioners' Court convened here Wednesday morning in special session and canvassed the returns of the Natalia school tax election. Sixteen votes—all for the tax—were polled and the court declared the tax carried. A conditional contract was entered into with W. M. Collins for a cement walk along the west side of College Square, provided the citizens would pay a part of the cost. Several accounts were allowed, and on Thursday the court went to Devine in a body to inspect certain road-work in that precinct.

Be Sure You Get The Genuine "Star Brand" Shoes

Don't be fooled into buying something "just as good".

Don't take an inferior shoe on the claim that it is "the same" as "Star Brand" shoes.

There are several kinds of star trademarks used on shoes—many kinds of excuses are offered you to sell you something else.

Be sure you get the genuine "Star Brand" shoe with the name of Roberts, Johnson & Rand on the sole and their star on the heel.

The "Patriot", "Pilgrim", "Plack", "Society", "Mayflower", "Tess-Led", "Our Family", "Stronger-Than-The-Law", "Soft and Good", etc. are all "Star Brand" shoes. All are Leather. No substitutes for Leather are ever used. You can get them only at our store.

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No line of Motor Cars at any price can show more value than will be found in the Buick for 1914.

Every time tried feature is retained and such new ones as have demonstrated their worth have been added.

The Famous Overhead Valve Motor will continue to demonstrate itself as the greatest power producer ever used in an automobile.

The same economy of fuel consumption, same durability and consistent service coupled with the old recognized reliability insures the same reliable Buicks.

The Delco system for starting, lighting and ignition is recognized as the very best apparatus of its kind and its installation in every model proves our contention that nothing is too good for the Buick.

All equipment will be in keeping with that standard and permits the assertion that more than ever will the past leadership of Buick cars be maintained and strengthened for 1914.

For demonstrations and other particulars see—

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SAFETY IN A GOOD WATCH

To do so you must start in time. To start in time you must have the correct time. If you purchase your time-piece

WATCHES AND CLOCKS

from me you will be sure of the correct time. I handle only reliable makes and sell under a strict guarantee.

V. A. Crow, The Jeweler

LOOK!

Have Just Received a Nice Line of

GINGHAMS, SHIRTINGS, DRESS GOODS, ETC. at the Racket Store.

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CHILDREN! Grown-ups and all, listen! Old Santa Claus

Will have his headquarters at

Windrow's Drug Store

YOU KNOW HE ALWAYS LEAVES A WORLD
OF EVERY THING FOR CHRISTMAS HERE.
HE HAS MORE THAN USUAL ON THE ROAD TO

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All kinds of nuts at Hutzler's confectionery.

Joe Langfeld was up from the ranch Wednesday.

Let S. G. Carter save you money on that fall suit.

Miss Fanny Carle was a passenger east Thursday.

D. M. Ferry's garden seed for sale at F. A. Heyen's.

Good mattresses at right prices at J. M. Malone & Co's.

B. Schuehling was a pleasant caller at this office Friday.

Fruit jars, half gallons, quarts and pints, at C. H. Gaines'.

Miss Halie Walker attended a wedding in San Antonio Monday.

Mrs. Joe Breiten was a pleasant caller at this office Saturday.

Mrs. Charles Reitzer was a pleasant caller at this office Wednesday.

Louis Rieber of D'Hanis was a business caller at this office Saturday.

Some exceptional bargains in slightly used furniture. J. M. Malone & Co.

Remember I guarantee all clothes I order to give perfect satisfaction. S. G. Carter the tailor.

Mrs. Frank Killough is here from Laverne visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Crabtree.

Bring your wagons, hacks and buggies to L. A. Mechler & Co. to have the tires set and other repairs made.

We have the facilities for prompt delivery. Give us your orders for building material. Sunrise Lumber Co.

Steve Minor, County Surveyor of Hayes County, was here Wednesday visiting his uncle, T. McClaugherty and family.

A big stock of guns of all kinds and ammunition for all kinds of guns are arriving now at Gaines'. Go to him for all of your needs in this line.

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First class cleaning and pressing at C. R. Hoover's.

Let S. G. Carter order you a Tailor made rain coat.

Get you a pretty art square from J. M. Malone & Co.

"Soldiers Three", a 101 Bison feature, at the Star Monday.

J. W. Griffith and family are back from their trip to Illinois.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Holloway were Alamo City visitors Sunday.

Two Bison features at the Star next week, Monday and Wednesday.

See E. R. Leinweber when you need a new hack or buggy. He has it.

If you want a good serviceable hack or buggy call on E. R. Leinweber.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Dick Schwarz Thursday, October 23rd, a fine boy.

For a good cigar and smoking and chewing tobacco call on F. A. Heyen.

Slightly used furniture, good as new, at bargain prices. See Malone & Co.

Mrs. E. G. Garwood was a San Antonio visitor Friday, returning Sunday.

Remember the new furniture store on Harper Ave. wants your patronage.

It would be impossible to mention all of the district court visitors this week.

For best and quickest service, phone 179. S. G. Carter, The Enterprise Tailor.

See J. M. Malone & Co. about that piece of furniture before buying elsewhere.

Jacob Etter and son, Fritz, were here Thursday from Lacoste on legal business.

Rev. W. L. Marlin arrived Thursday night from Ozona, having made the trip over-land.

For a good cigar call at Hutzler's Confectionery. All of the approved brands in stock.

Up to Thursday night there had been shipped from this place 6333 bales of cotton this season.

For Sale or Trade.—Horses, Mares and Mules. Apply to Russell Routt, Hondo, Texas. tf

Dr. W. H. Smith, Dr. R. P. Thomas, C. P. Boone and J. G. Heyen autoed to Sabinal Thursday.

You will regret it if you don't inspect S. G. Carter's line of woolen samples before buying your suit.

A marriage license was issued to Alfred M. Finger and Miss Theresa Koch, popular young people of D'Hanis, Wednesday.

Come to the Harper Avenue furniture store and get acquainted with the new furniture man, J. M. Malone. He will save you money.

For Sale or Trade by Owner—A small 4-room house, barn, good well, 1 1/2 acres of land in Hondo. For particulars call or write, S. G. Carter, Hondo.

For Sale—A three-room house in Lacoste. For price and terms apply to Ambrose Zimmermann, Hondo, or Jacob Rihn, Castroville. 10-tf

Call at Leinweber's vehicle repository on Bandera Ave. and select that new hack or buggy. Several standard makes of reliable vehicles to select from.

The members of the Epworth League will sell good home-made candy at the various business houses Saturday, November 1st. Come and get some of the best candy you ever ate and let the same time help a good cause.

Cards are out announcing the coming marriage of Mr. Alfred M. Finger and Miss Theresa Koch, popular young people of D'Hanis. The marriage will take place at St. Dominic's Church, D'Hanis, Tuesday, November 11th.

Old hats made like new at S. G. Carter's, the Tailor.

Fruits of all kinds in season at Heyen's confectionery.

Dining room and parlor chairs at J. M. Malone & Co's.

Bring your carriage and auto repairing to J. H. Meyers, tf.

Get your rugs, matting and linoleums from J. M. Malone & Co.

All kinds of fresh fruits in season at Hutzler's confectionery.

Parlor sets, make your home attractive and let J. M. Malone & Co. furnish it.

Henry Etter, a deputy sheriff from Eagle Pass, arrived here Thursday on business.

Dressers and wash stands, a nice assortment to select from. J. M. Malone & Co.

The finest stock of pocket knives ever seen at Hondo is now on display at Gaines'.

All kinds of candy chocolates, bonbons, nabiscos, etc. at Hutzler's confectionery.

W. M. Collins is putting down a cement sidewalk from Bless' store to Horger's shoe shop.

For stylish and serviceable rigs that will please you in quality and price see E. R. Leinweber.

For Sale—Two lots southeast corner, three blocks from depot. For price and terms apply to J. R. Hart.

All kinds of lumber and building material supplied at the Sunrise Lumber Co. Come to us with your building material wants.

C. P. Boone is here this week teaching a class in Royal Arch Masonry, and it is proposed to organize a Chapter here in the near future.

A carload of the celebrated Mitchell Wagons just received. Call and inspect them before making your purchase. EUGEN HUESER.

Uncle Charlie Stone is in San Marcos this week attending a reunion of Terry's Texas Rangers. The old veterans have been having an enjoyable time.

The local lodge of Rebekahs gave a Hallowe'en entertainment at the lodge room last night. We go to press too early to give an account of the same.

Dr. W. H. Smith and Dr. and Mrs. R. P. Thomas were visitors to San Antonio Saturday to witness the play, Robin Hood, at the Grand Opera House.

Taken-up—One brown cow, crippled in the right leg, about ten years old, no brand. Owner can get same by paying the costs to Jesus Carmona, Hondo, Texas. 12-2t

Mr. Louis Schlaudt and son, Edo, were here this week from Mason Co. visiting Mr. Schlaudt's brother-in-law, J. M. Saathoff, and family. They left Thursday for home.

At the meeting of the local lodge of I. O. O. F. Thursday night of last week there was work in the initiatory degree after which the members enjoyed a turkey luncheon.

For Sale or Trade, our entire Livery & Feed Stables in Hondo, Texas. We own the only Livery Stable here and it will make a good business for some one. McClaugherty & Horger.

For Sale—A good mare, five years old, 15 1/2 hands high and gentle to work. Also a slightly used buggy as good as new. For prices write or see Edward A. Weynand, D'Hanis, Texas. 10-4t

Call on Wm. Neumann at Hueser's saddle store and let him put in Soft Spot attachments to your shoes. Makes walking easy. All kinds of shoe repairing neatly done and satisfaction guaranteed.

Rev. and Mrs. Louis McVea and baby left for their home at Martindale Thursday after having spent several days here visiting Rev. McVea's sisters, Mrs. J. B. Hart and Miss Doris McVea.

The editors of this paper returned Tuesday night from a five days visit to the Dallas Fair, Ft. Worth and San Antonio. The Fair at Dallas is a pronounced success and the largest crowds in its history are attending it.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Pichot returned Thursday from a several days visit to the Dallas Fair. Mr. Pichot reports a most enjoyable time and says the next time he goes he will stay longer and try to see the whole Fair.

Mrs. H. J. Heyen was down from Uvalde last week-end visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Hardt. She returned home Sunday accompanied by her father who visited there for several days. Mr. Hardt returned home Thursday accompanied by Mr. Heyen who will visit here for a while.

Milton J. Schmitt arrived home from Poughkeepsie, N. Y., Saturday where he has just completed a commercial course at the Eastman Business College. After a short vacation he expects to take a position in the Schmitt & Steinhardt store and looks forward to the time when he will become a member of the firm. He was met at New Orleans by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. A. Schmitt on his return and accompanied home by them. The Anvil Herald congratulates the young man on his successful completion of his studies and wishes for him a successful career in business.

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Alvin Silver plate adds beauty and the sense of luxury to every feast. The table spread with it conveys the impression of refinement and good taste. For every day use on the home table Alvin Silver Plate is particular satisfactory as it contains the largest amount of pure silver of any brand of silver plate on the market and is consequently most durable.

Gravy Ladle \$2.25 Table Spoons \$5 set Dessert Spoons \$5 set
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Cold Meat Fork \$1.50 Chocolate Spoons \$3.50 set

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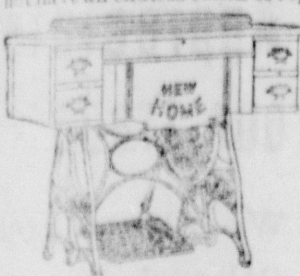
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This Department is in charge of our Authorized Agent for Castroville,

ED H. HUEHNER, Editor

who is authorized to collect and receipt for money due this paper and to whom items intended for this page should be submitted.—Editor.

Died.

Mrs. Katherine Tschirhart (nee Bendele) beloved wife of Mr. Aug. Tschirhart, departed this life Friday night after a lingering illness of many years duration and great suffering and was laid to rest at the Catholic Cemetery on Saturday afternoon. Rev. Father Heckmann performed the last sad rites.

Deceased was born at Castroville October 8, 1868, and on May 17, 1888 was married to August Tschirhart, which union was blessed with two sons who now survive. Besides those mentioned deceased leaves her aged mother, Mrs. Mary Bendele of this place, six brothers and one sister and a large number of other near and dear relatives to mourn her untimely demise. A very large cortege of mourning relatives and friends followed the corpse to its last resting place.

We join this entire community in sympathy with the bereaved ones. R. I. P.

Mr. George Echtle and Miss Mary Witman were happily married at St. Louis Catholic Church on Tuesday morning, October 21, 1913. The attendants were Mr. George Witman and Miss Annie Witman, brother and sister of the bride. Rev. Father Heckman performed the nuptial ceremony. After the ceremony the bridal party repaired to the home of the

Saved His Foot.

H. D. Ely, of Bantam, O., suffered from horrible ulcer on his foot for four years. Doctor advised amputation, but he refused and reluctantly tried Bucklen's Arnica Salve as a last resort. He then wrote: "I used your salve and my foot was soon completely cured. Best remedy for burns, cuts, bruises and eczema. Get a box to-day. Only 25c. All druggists or by mail. H. E. Bucklen & Co., Philadelphia or St. Louis.

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A cough medicine for children must help their coughs and colds without bad effects on their little stomachs and bowels. Foley's Honey and Tar exactly fills this need. No opiates, no sour stomach, no constipation follows its use. Stuffy colds, wheezy breathing, coughs and croup are all quickly helped. W. H. Windrow.

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bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Witman, a few miles east of town where the day was pleasantly spent in feasting and celebrating the happy event. The happy couple will make their home on Lower Medina where the groom owns a large farm. We join their many friends in wishing them Bon Voyage.

Our popular District Clerk, Mr. Aug. Kempf, of Hondo was mingling with his many friends here Tuesday and Wednesday.

Uncle Geo. Aschbacher, the jovial Weiss beer man of San Antonio, was a business visitor here Tuesday.

Mrs. Adam Droitecourt and daughter, Miss Hettie, of East Side were Alamo City visitors Wednesday.

Sheriff Jos. F. Bader and County Attorney R. J. Noonan were Castroville visitors Wednesday.

Prof. Wilhelmy, the modern German Wizard, assisted by Miss Bessie Wilmar, exhibited to good sized crowds at the Empire Opera House Saturday and Sunday nights. A section of the Castroville Brass Band furnished the music.

A genuine norther swooped down on us Sunday morning and tender vegetation is wearing a black coat today.

Wedding tomorrow. More anon.

Wm. Scherrer joins the happy band of Hondo Anvil Herald readers. Thanks.

Castroville, Oct. 27, 1913.

A Night of Terror.

Few nights are more terrible than that of a mother looking on her child choking and gasping for breath during an attack of croup, and nothing in the house to relieve it. Many mothers have passed nights of terror in this situation. A little forethought will enable you to avoid all this. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is a certain cure for croup and has never been known to fail. Keep it at hand. For sale by All Dealers.

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It relieves coughing immediately, eases soreness in the lungs, loosens phlegm and clears the bronchial tubes. It is a fine family remedy, pleasant to take and good for children and adults.

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Buy the \$1.00 size. It contains five times as much as the 25c size, and you get with each bottle a Dr. Hickey's Red Pepper Porous Plaster for the chest.

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EXECUTION OF TRAITOR

BLACK ROBED SONS OF MALTA PREPARING FOR PUBLIC EXECUTION AT NO-TSU-CH.

THEIR PARADE GREAT FEATURE

The Parade, the Sentiment Back of It, the Mystery of It, the Uncanny Garbed Figures Tends to Give One the Shivers.

Some time ago the newspapers in Houston contained articles picturing the execution of a traitor in that city during the week November 10 to 15. The writer of the articles colored the stories up in such a realistic way as to arouse comment from all sections of the country.

A great many people took the writer seriously. It was an advertising trick, and seems to have proven effective, for it has given the annual No-Tsu-Oh celebration a great deal of advertising.

However, there was a basis for the articles. There is an organization in Houston known as the Sons of Malta. There are members all over the State, and perhaps in other States.

It is a secret benevolent-order, and the members do things in a mysterious way. They hold meetings weekly, and their costume is a long black robe which falls to the feet covering their body, while the head and face are hidden by a hood. They are an uncanny looking lot, are these Sons of Malta.

The secretary of the organization keeps in close touch with the charity organizations and selects names of dependent widows who are struggling along with a number of children. He provides himself with a list of the articles of food and clothing that these families need, and he makes the purchases, which are delivered to the meeting place of the Sons.

When they meet they go over these lists and allot out the articles and committees are appointed to distribute the articles.

They don their uncanny garbs and in the dark hours of the night they visit these dependent homes and place the articles where they will be found in the morning.

They do it secretly, but effectively, and no one knows just who they are. But they must have something to hold them together—some sort of entertainment. Each year they have a traitor. Some member of the organization is picked as a victim. The man who plays the traitor in this organization must die. It is none of the business of the people outside the organization what he traitored at.

Their executions are public. They meet at their hall, don their uncanny robes, chain their traitor on a float, place a coffin in front of him and march through the streets with red fire. These parades and the sentiment back of them, the mystery of it, and uncanny silent men—all tend to make the cold shivers run up and down one's back.

The parade is through the principal streets and then to the Carnival grounds. Here is a huge bonfire. The float is drawn long side it and the big cheese make a speech. Usually a man possessed with great oratorical and theatrical powers—a man with a voice of thunder—is selected to make the speech.

He tells about the traitor and what happens to the traitors in the Sons of Malta. They are burned.

The traitor is placed in the coffin and it is hurled on the bonfire and all is consumed.

Yes, the traitor escapes from the coffin before it is placed on the bonfire, but none of the tens of thousands who witness the performance see the escape. It is one of the most realistic shows ever witnessed.

Long life to the Sons of Malta. We do not know about this business of burning a man, but we do know that the kind of charity that they practice is the kind that the Savior taught. They are doing a great work. Would that there were more such people as the Sons of Malta. Let them have their fun, even if it is a bit realistic and frightful to the onlookers.

His Official Introduction.
An English treasury official was once sent over to Dublin to inquire into the courts. He was received politely by the late Lord Morris, the famous Irish law lord and wit, who said he would put him in communication with the proper person, and rang the bell. When the elderly female who acted as court-keeper appeared, he remarked, as he left the room: "Mary, this is the young man that's come about the coals."

Those Ultra-Sensitive People.
It is a great misfortune that so many people think it a mark of saintliness to be easily shocked, whereas the greatest saints of all are the people who are never shocked; they may be distressed; they may wish things different; but to be shocked is often nothing but a mark of vanity, a self-conscious desire that others should know how high one's standard, how sensitive one's conscience, is—"Joyous Gard," by A. C. Benson.

Water Ferns at Night.
A fern lover says she waters her ferns the last thing at night during the months they are kept on the gallery. Then she gives the earth in the pots plenty of water and also sprinkles the plants themselves. None of the moisture is lost during the night, and the plants thus have a plentiful supply for the following day.



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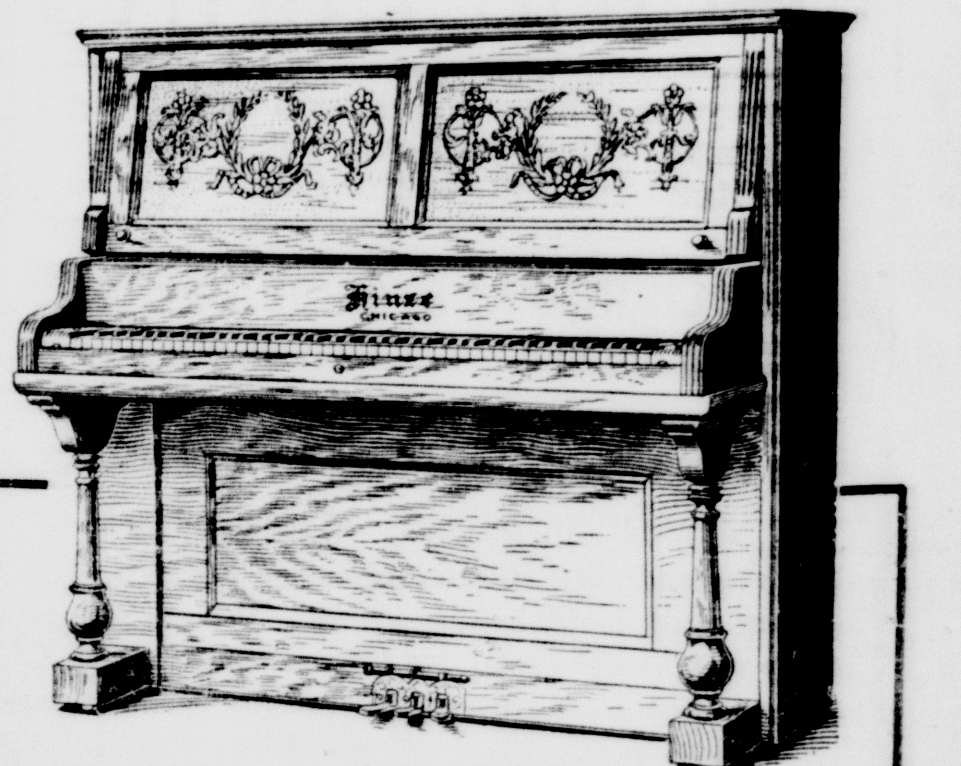
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Loans and Discounts,	\$249,057.74
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured,	9,278.93
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation,	50,000.00
Banking house, Furniture and fixtures,	5,000.00
Due from National Banks, (not reserve agents),	16,535.48
Due from State and Private Banks and Bankers, Trust Companies, and Savings Banks,	71.14
Due from approved reserve agents,	75,396.40
Checks and other cash items,	100.28
Notes of other National Banks,	160.00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents,	160.68
Lawful Money reserve in Bank viz: Specie, \$23,965.85	
Legal-tender notes, 1,950.00	25,645.85
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 percent circulation)	2,500.00
TOTAL	\$433,906.50

LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid in,	\$50,000.00
Surplus fund,	20,500.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid,	6,388.36
National Bank notes outstanding,	50,000.00
Due to other National Banks,	221.98
Due to State and Private Banks and Bankers,	3,595.55
Individual deposits subject to check,	302,752.11
Time certificates of deposit	400.00
Liabilities other than those above stated, suspense,	38.50
TOTAL	\$433,906.50

State of Texas, County of Medina, ss.
I, J. M. FINGER, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. M. FINGER, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27th day of October, 1913.

[L. S.] ELMER DE MONTEL, Notary Public.
Correct—Attest:
ED. DE MONTEL,
JOE FOHN,
JOHN MUENNINK,
Directors.

Pierian Literary Society.

The Society met at the school house last Friday afternoon. The house was called to order by the President, Maggie Cameron.

The Society sang "Juanita". The roll was then called and the minutes of the last meeting were read and adopted. New business was then taken up. Beulah Whitehead was appointed critic for the Society.

Hazel Liekholder, Glee Fasselman, Florence Lacy and Victor Neuman were selected to make the program for the next meeting.

Irene Harris recited a beautiful selection which was greatly enjoyed.

A debate followed: "Resolved that moving picture shows are a benefit to the country." Both sides were ably represented, and the judges decided in favor of the negative.

"Down by the Old Mill Stream" was sung by the Society, and Leila Laughinghouse then entertained with a pleasing selection, "Papa and the Boy".

The Society sang "Nellie Gray," after which a spelling match was indulged in.

The meeting then adjourned.

320 Acres

Unimproved land, 15 miles south-west of Hondo, on Squirrel Creek, black sandy soil. Price \$6.00 per acre, half cash and balance in one and two years.

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Notice.

My pastures are posted. The public is notified that all trespassing, hunting, shooting and disturbing of cattle is, without exception, forbidden under penalty of the law.

F. L. BOERLE.

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F. ROTHE.

To The Public.

I have the blacksmithing accounts of G. R. Clark for collection and those owing him for work are requested to call at the shop and settle the same.

WALTER A. MASK.

Wednesday, Nov. 5th.

1000 votes with each 25c in China, Silverware or Christmas Goods.

W. H. WINDROW.

Piano certificates going fast.

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ONE CENT EACH and thus aid in the movement to secure a County Hospital and Dispensaries in this County for the care of the sick and afflicted. Every Seal you buy helps to provide hospitals, dispensaries and visiting nurses for the care of the sick and the prevention of disease.

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Mrs. G. W. Monkhouse, Chairman,

Hondo Committee.

E. F. Martin

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Standing of Contestants.

Following is the standing of Contestants in the W. H. Windrow Piano Contest at Wednesday's Count:

4	4,000	74	282,420
8	1,094,135	75	392,315
9	692,610	76	177,105
10	402,605	78	2,526,425
11	3,880,075	79	352,315
12	177,205	80	2,217,460
14	3,922,370	81	152,110
15	308,650	82	685,660
16	368,525	83	262,315
17	252,250	84	355,635
20	448,430	85	277,205
24	152,610	87	262,315
25	389,335	89	577,405
28	423,660	90	265,210
32	900,955	91	130,110
38	468,470	94	233,315
41	245,915	100	297,315
43	224,520	102	272,315
47	742,135	104	2,220,205
52	401,420	105	227,415
56	215,120	106	112,210
59	109,005	114	332,315
63	2,035	115	232,315
65	427,490	120	3,162,610
66	407,210	127	2,958,765
67	767,875	129	3,031,470
68	237,115	130	631,695
70	392,075	137	427,360
71	454,950	147	579,915

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Be sure you get Dodson's Liver Tonic when you ask for it. There are imitations of it that may disappoint you.

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OFFICIAL STATEMENT

OF THE FINANCIAL CONDITION OF THE HONDO STATE BANK

AT HONDO, STATE OF TEXAS, AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON THE 21ST DAY OF OCT., 1913.

Published in the Hondo Anvil Herald, a newspaper printed and published at Hondo, State of Texas, on the 1st day of Nov., 1913.

RESOURCES.	
Loans and Discounts	
personal or collateral	\$94,949.32
Loans, real estate,	8,465.00
Overdrafts	2,183.55
Real Estate (banking house)	6,164.70
Furniture and Fixtures	2,003.02
Due from Approved Reserve Agents	
net	49,714.27
Due from other Banks and Bankers, subject to check, net	98.83 49,813.10
Cash Items	1,808.59
Currency	12,297.00
Specie	7,067.75 21,173.34
Interest on Depositors Guaranty Fund	\$1,560.26
Other resources as follows:	
Ass't for Guarantee Fund	759.06
TOTAL	\$186,471.35

LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock paid in	\$30,000.00
Surplus Fund	5,000.00
Undivided Profits, net	6,050.44
Individual Deposits, subject to check	145,420.91
TOTAL	\$186,471.35

STATE OF TEXAS, County of Medina, ss.
We, Joe Ney, as vice-president, and H.F. King as cashier of said bank, each of us do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

JOE NEY, Vice President,

H. F. KING, Cashier.

Sworn and subscribed to before me this 31st day of Oct., A. D. nineteen hundred and thirteen.

WITNESS my hand and notarial seal on the date last aforesaid.

AUGUST HORNING, Notary Public.

[SEAL] CORRECT—ATTEST:

WM. A. SCHMITT

D. H. FLY

I. H. KING

DIRECTORS.



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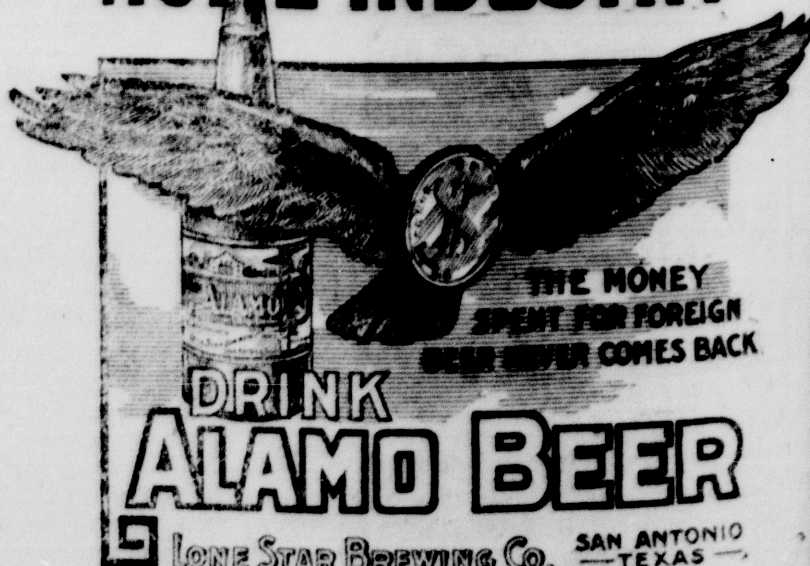
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